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REMARKS

Claims 1-25 were pending. In the Office Action mailed on August 5, 2004, the Examiner allowed claims 1-23. The Examiner withdrew from consideration claims 24 and 25 as being directed to a non-elected invention. Applicant hereby cancels claims 24 and 25 to place the case in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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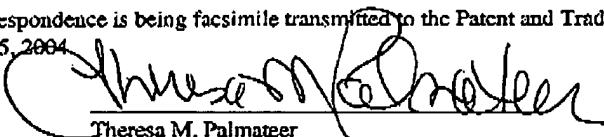
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